Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 08 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 09 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 08 Jun 2023 at 03:05 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for dry, settled weather continuing into the weekend, then risk of heavy showers on Sunday. Lower confidence on day to day cloud details.

Headline for Thursday 08 Jun 2023: Dry. Rather cloudy morning then sunny intervals developing. Light winds at all levels.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 08 Jun 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability					
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Thursday 08 Jun 2023

Weather: Another dry day with extensive cloud cover well into the morning. Clouds will thin and break later in the morning and early afternoon with sunny spells developing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% improving 70% in the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Very good visibility beneath the cloud, but extensive fog at first above 600 to 700m. Clouds lifting and breaking up later in morning and into the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	9/12 E	7/10 E	8/13 E	9/14 SE	10/15 SE	8/12 SE	7/9 S
900	6/8 E	7/10 E	8/12 E	9/14 SE	10/15 SE	8/11 SE	5/7 S
600	5/7 E	7/11 E	7/12 E	8/14 SE	9/15 SE	7/10 SE	4/7 S
300	4/5 E	7/11 E	8/14 E	9/15 E	8/15 E	5/11 SE	4/9 E
Glen	4/6 E	7/11 E	8/14 E	9/15 E	8/15 E	4/9 SE	3/5 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	4/1	5/3	7/5	8/5	6/4	4/2	3/0
900	5/3	7/5	9/7	10/8	9/6	6/4	4/3
600	7/6	10/8	12/11	13/11	11/9	8/6	6/5
300	8/7	12/11	14/13	15/13	13/12	10/8	8/6
Glen	8/7	12/11	15/13	15/13	13/12	10/9	7/6
Freezing Level*	2100m	2000m	2000m	1900m	1900m	1900m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Forecast for Friday 09 Jun 2023
Weather: Staying dry with a rather cloudy morning then more sunshine in afternoon and evening.

Maximum wind: Light east or southeast winds with average speeds of 10mph, perhaps 15mph on the tops.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% at first improving 70% by afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Again very good visibility underneath the clouds. The clouds extensive well into the morning, bases about 600 to 700m, lifting and breaking in the afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 7 Celsius rising to 16 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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